Hunters are often fishermen as well. No one likes to buy more equipment or supplies than is necessary. It is a waste of money, resources and space. Thus, hunters and fishermen need a single device that is capable of safely and securely holding a fishing rod ready for immediate use, as well as a firearm or bow at the ready for a quick shot.

SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

The sports equipment holder has a rod with a clamp at a first end and an equipment support at a second end. The equipment support includes a bow fork, a rod hook or a firearm hook. The firearm hook and the rod hook may be combined into a single piece. The clamp is easily attached to a nearby tree limb, boat rail, tree stand, hunting blind or another suitable support. The clamp resists slipping and will attach properly to square, rectangle, multi-sided and virtually any regular or irregular surface that will fit within the clamp's jaws. The rod is strong enough to hold a firearm, bow or fishing rod in virtually any position desired by the sportsman.

When used as a bow holder, the equipment support is a bow fork. When used for fishing rods or firearms, the equipment support is the rod and rifle hook. The sports equipment holder will securely hold a bow or a firearm ready for a quick shot, with minimal movement of the hunter, and provides for hands-free security while fishing.

The sports equipment holder may be made of steel, aluminum, or other suitable manmade materials, whether metals or nonmetals. Bright materials, such as steel or aluminum may be anodized, powder coated, or treated with zinc chromate or another suitable finish in a flat dark color to inhibit reflections and corrosion. The bow fork and the rod and rifle hook may be

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Part #	Part Name
10	rod
12	clamp
14	equipment holder
16	tree stand
18	sportsman
20	thumbscrew
22	bow fork
24	bow
25	lower bow limb
27	upper bow limb
28	firearm hook
30	buttstock
32	first hook
34	second hook
36	third hook
38	main shaft
40	fishing rod
42	fishing rod hook
44	reel